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Sir:

In response to the office action dated December 27, 2007, the applicants submit the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. This amendment is considered to place the application in better condition for allowance.

Also enclosed is the Request for Three-Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the end date of the current term to June 27, 2008, accompanied by the authorization to charge the fee of \$525 (small entity) to Deposit Account No. 12-0400. Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

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Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.